

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

Claim 1 (Currently Amended): An information processing device for receiving service advertisement information, comprising:

transmission means for transmitting user identification information which identifies users, a password, and device identification information which identifies the information processing device to a management device which manages the information processing device; ~~said device attribute information including a memory capacity of a storage device in which said service advertisement information is stored;~~

receiving means for receiving registration completion information which indicates that said user identification information, said password and said device identification information were associated with each other and registered at said management device;

storage means for storing at least said device identification information; and

control means for controlling said transmission means to transmit device attribute information which indicates the attributes of said information processing device and request information which requests the service advertisement information in the event that said device identification information is not stored in said storage means, said device attribute information including information indicating the presence of a battery in the information processing device,

wherein said receiving means receives the service advertisement information corresponding to said device attribute information in response to said request information.

Claim 2 (Previously Presented): The information processing device according to claim 1, wherein said service advertisement information is information that prompts user registration with said management device.

Claim 3 (Previously Presented): The information processing device according to claim 1, wherein said service advertisement information is information that prompts registration for services linked from said management device.

Claim 4 (Previously Presented): The information processing device according to claim 1, wherein said device attribute information includes performance of a display device on which said service advertisement information is displayed.

Claims 5 and 6 (Canceled).

Claim 7 (Currently Amended): An information management device for transmitting service advertisement information, comprising:

receiving means for receiving from an information processing device user identification information which identifies users, a password, and device identification information which identifies the information processing device, ~~said device attribute information including a memory capacity of a storage device in which said service advertisement information is stored;~~

transmission means for transmitting registration completion information which indicates that said user identification information, said password and said device identification information were associated with each other and registered;

receiving means for receiving device attribute information which indicates the attributes of said information processing device and request information which requests the service advertisement information in the event that said device identification information is not stored by said information processing device, said device attribute information including information indicating the presence of a battery in the information processing device; and

advertisement information transmission means for transmitting the service advertisement information corresponding to said device attribute information in response to said request information.

Claim 8 (Currently Amended): A communication method for an information processing device for receiving service advertisement information, comprising:

transmitting user identification information which identifies users, a password, and device identification information which identifies the information processing device to a management device which manages the information processing device, ~~said device attribute information including a memory capacity of a storage device in which said service advertisement information is stored;~~

receiving registration completion information which indicates that said user identification information, said password and said device identification information were associated with each other and registered at said management device;

storing at least said device identification information;

transmitting device attribute information which indicates the attributes of said information processing device and request information which requests the service advertisement information in the event that said device identification information is not stored in said storage means, said device attribute information including information indicating the presence of a battery in the information processing device; and

receiving the service advertisement information corresponding to said device attribute information in response to said request information.

Claim 9 (Currently Amended): A communication method for an information management device for transmitting service advertisement information, comprising:

receiving user identification information which identifies users, a password, and device identification information which identifies the information processing device from an information processing device, ~~said device attribute information including a memory capacity of a storage device in which said service advertisement information is stored;~~

transmitting registration completion information which indicates that said user identification information, said password and said device identification information were associated with each other and registered;

receiving device attribute information which indicates the attributes of said information processing device and request information which requests the service advertisement information in the event that said device identification information is not stored by said information processing device, said device attribute information including information indicating the presence of a battery in the information processing device; and

transmitting the service advertisement information corresponding to said device attribute information in response to said request information.

Claim 10 (Currently Amended): A computer readable storage medium including computer executable instructions, wherein the instructions, when executed by a processor, cause the processor to perform a method for receiving service advertisement information, the method comprising:

transmitting user identification information which identifies users, a password, and device identification information which identifies the information processing device to a management device which manages the information processing device, ~~said device attribute information including a memory capacity of a storage device in which said service advertisement information is stored;~~

receiving registration completion information which indicates that said user identification information, said password and said device identification information were associated with each other and registered at said management device;

storing at least said device identification information;

transmitting device attribute information which indicates the attributes of said information processing device and request information which requests the service advertisement information in the event that said device identification information is not stored in said storage means, said device attribute information including information indicating the presence of a battery in the information processing device; and

receiving the service advertisement information corresponding to said device attribute information in response to said request information.

Claim 11 (Currently Amended): A computer readable storage medium including computer executable instructions, wherein the instructions, when executed by a processor, cause the processor to perform a method for transmitting service advertisement information, the method comprising:

receiving user identification information which identifies users, a password, and device identification information which identifies the information processing device from an information processing device, ~~said device attribute information including a memory capacity of a storage device in which said service advertisement information is stored~~;

transmitting registration completion information which indicates that said user identification information, said password and said device identification information were associated with each other and registered;

receiving device attribute information which indicates the attributes of said information processing device and request information which requests the service

advertisement information in the event that said device identification information is not stored by said information processing device, said device attribute information including information indicating the presence of a battery in the information processing device; and transmitting the service advertisement information corresponding to said device attribute information in response to said request information.

Claim 12 (Currently Amended): An information processing device for receiving service advertisement information, comprising:

a transmitter configured to transmit user identification information which identifies users, a password, and device identification information which identifies the information processing device to a management device which manages the information processing device, ~~said device attribute information including a memory capacity of a storage device in which said service advertisement information is stored~~;

a receiver configured to receive registration completion information which indicates that said user identification information, said password and said device identification information were associated with each other and registered at said management device;

a storage unit configured to store at least said device identification information; and

a controller configured to control said transmitter to transmit device attribute information which indicates the attributes of said information processing device and request information which requests the service advertisement information in the event that said device identification information is not stored in said storage unit, said device attribute information including information indicating the presence of a battery in the information processing device,

wherein said receiver is configured to receive the service advertisement information corresponding to said device attribute information in response to said request information.

Claim 13 (Previously Presented): The information processing device according to claim 12, wherein said service advertisement information is information that prompts user registration with said management device.

Claim 14 (Previously Presented): The information processing device according to claim 12, wherein said service advertisement information is information that prompts registration for services linked from said management device.

Claim 15 (Previously Presented): The information processing device according to claim 12, wherein said device attribute information includes performance of a display device on which said service advertisement information is displayed.

Claims 16 and 17 (Canceled).

Claim 18 (Currently Amended): An information management device for transmitting service advertisement information, comprising:

a ~~first~~ physical receiver configured to receive user identification information which identifies users, a password, and device identification information which identifies the information processing device from an information processing device, the physical receiver also configured to receive device attribute information which indicates the attributes of said information processing device and request information which requests the service advertisement information in the event that said device identification information is not stored by said information processing device, said device attribute information including information indicating the presence of a battery in the information processing device,~~said~~

~~device attribute information including a memory capacity of a storage device in which said service advertisement information is stored;~~

a physical transmitter configured to transmit registration completion information which indicates that said user identification information, said password and said device identification information were associated with each other and registered; and

~~a second physical receiver configured to receive device attribute information which indicates the attributes of said information processing device and request information which requests the service advertisement information in the event that said device identification information is not stored by said information processing device; and~~

a physical service advertisement information transmitter configured to transmit the service advertisement information corresponding to said device identification information in response to said request information.

Claim 19 (New): The information processing device according to claim 1, wherein said device attribute information including a memory capacity of a storage device in which said service advertisement information is stored.

Claim 20 (New): The information processing device according to claim 1, wherein said device attribute information including a memory capacity of a storage device in which said service advertisement information is stored.